Holy Infant Catholic Church



Mass Times: Tuesday 10:00 am Thursday 10:00 am Followed by Holy Hour and Eucharistic Adoration Saturday 5:00 pm Sacrament of Reconciliation 4:15pm - 4:45pm Sunday 11:00 am

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Mass Intentions

Saturday & Sunday: To all Parishioners and visitors of Holy Infant Church. Saturday, Sept 19th: +Dan Schuck—by V.Kobihz Tuesday, Sept 22nd: +Fr Michael Carrion—By G. Smith Thursday, Sept 24th: +Andreas Haase—by H.&I. Haase

<u>Please Pray for</u>...Please remember God's children who are ill, homebound, or hospitalized and need our special thoughts and prayers: <u>Jane and Darrell Peck</u>, <u>Father John Ellis and Burgess Ellis</u> <u>Dieter and Irene Haase</u>, <u>Raul and Marian Oviedo</u>, <u>Sid Lam, Brad & Maryanne Akers and Rose Schuck</u> our Brothers and Sisters in Christ, our Sister Parish -Shepherd of the Hills, our Twin Parish in Haiti -Saint Augustin, and all members of our military, and those who put themselves in harm's way to protect and serve others.

If you would like to add someone to the list, please email, send a note or call the church office. In the future the list will be regenerated every three months. Thank you.

Liturgical Ministers Next Week

	September 26	September 27
Lector 1	To Be Determined	To Be Determined
Bread Ministers	To Be Determined	To Be Determined
Greeter / Usher	To Be Determined	

09/20/2020 TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME					
First Reading	ls	55: 6-9			
Second Reading	Phil	1: 20C-24, 27a			
Gospel	Mt	20: 1-16a			

How different are the Lord's ways from our own! Gracious and good to all, the Lord is equally generous in compassion and love to both those who are quick to respond to his invitation, as well as those who are slow to hear his call. May the Lord Jesus always be our life.

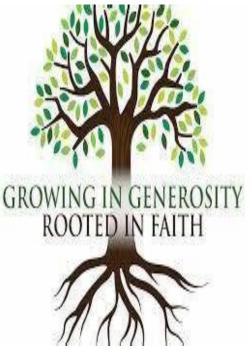
09/27/2020 FEAST OF ST. VINCENT DE PAUL					
First Reading	Zeph	3: 14-18			
Second Reading	1 Cor	1: 26-31			
Gospel	Mt	9: 35-38			

PARISIONERS CORNER:

Thank you for your contributions to your parish. This weekend and next marks the Special Collection of the Retired Religious Fund. Over the years, nearly 30,000 elderly sisters, brothers and religious order priests in the U.S. educated our young, tended to the sick and ministered to the needy. Today, many religious communities do not have enough retirement savings and are struggle to provide for it's aging members. Your donation helps furnish medications, nursing care and so much more. Please give generously.

Weekly Contributions	Targeted	Actual	Difference
Sept 12 & 13	\$ 1,523.23	\$ 1,279.00	\$ -244.23
July 1st, 2020 to Date	\$ 16,755.53	\$ 16,400.06	\$ - 355.47

Other collections: Justice & Peace \$40



Mass & Event Announcements

Saturday, September 19, 2020– 5 PM Mass & Sunday, September 20, 2020– 11 AM Mass 25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, September 26, 2020— 10:30 AM Bicentennial Regional Mass Livestream from St. Andrews Church in Roanoke https://richmonddiocese.org/livestream/

Saturday, September 26, 2020—5 PM Mass & Sunday, September 27, 2020—11 AM Mass Special Mass - Feast of St. Vincent De Paul Special Collection Retired Religious Fund

WEEKLY THOUGHTS 25th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME SEPTEMBER 20th 2020.

My dear Friends, Welcome to this 25th Day of the Lord in Ordinary Time. Let us be thankful to God for his love and abiding providence. In the gospel reading of last Sunday, Jesus demands forgiveness as requirement and quality of life for anyone called to be a disciple of Jesus. The ability to forgive and ask for forgiveness heals and makes one strong, free and peaceful with God and other people.

In the Gospel Reading of this Sunday we hear Jesus emphasizing another quality of generosity to anyone called to be a disciple of Jesus. This quality- generosity is very central in the life of Jesus. Failure to be generous leads one to selfishness and anger that are counterproductive to peace, love and harmony in society or a family.

In this parable of the hired workers in the garden, the Land owner- God pays each worker a day's wage. Jesus endeavors to teach us, his disciples, God's generosity to us all called to be the disciples of Jesus and workers in his vineyard.

Our goal no matter how long one has toiled is Salvation that is graciously and generously given to us. Our effort should therefore be on helping and being our brothers and sisters to attain salvation our goal.

Generosity should be the cause of our joy and rejoicing- not resentment. God's standards are just, gracious and generous. Let us learn to do likewise and should desist to succumb to anger and resentment as they are destructive and tear apart God's people or the Church. Let us celebrate God's generosity and grace when it is in action- various gifts in the work of evangelization- building the Body of Christ- the Church.

My gratitude and thanks go to Holy Infant Church for your Contribution of \$538.00 towards the Retired Religious for the year 2019.

Shepherd of the Hills contributed \$491.00. Let us support generously the Special Collection for the Retired Religious due on the Weekend of September 26th -27th 2020. Have a great Week



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